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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 435.

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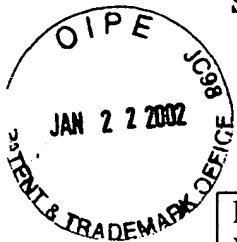
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In re Application of: Winston Donald Keech	Docket No.: 46354.010400
Serial No.: 09/982,102	Art Unit: Unassigned
Filing Date: October 19, 2001	Examiner: Unassigned
Title: Systems and Methods for Identity Verification During Secure Transactions	

RESPONSE

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed November 19, 2001, the applicant encloses:

1. NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - PART 2
2. Check in the amount of \$435 to cover basic filing fee and surcharge for a small entity, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27
3. Return Receipt Postcard

In the event applicant(s) has overlooked the need for any petition and fee for extension of time and such extension is required, applicant(s) requests that this be considered a petition therefore and that such fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0653.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16, 1.17, 1.20 (a) and 1.20 (d) (except the Issue Fee) which may be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0653.

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